

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RENEE CONTRATTO,

Plaintiff,

v.

ETHICON, INC. (dba GYNECARE
WORLDWIDE), a New Jersey corporation;
JOHNSON & JOHNSON, a New Jersey
corporation; LIFECORE BIOMEDICAL, INC.,
a Minnesota corporation; VITAL PHARMA,
INC., a Florida corporation; and DOES 1-25,

Defendants.

Case No. C-03-3804 ARB (MJJ)

**STIPULATION AND ~~PROPOSED~~
ORDER MODIFYING PAGE LIMITS FOR
OPPOSITION BRIEFS
(CIVIL L.R. 7-3, 7-4 and 7-12)**

Plaintiff Renee Contratto and defendants Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, Lifecore Biomedical, Inc., and Vital Pharma, Inc. submit the following joint proposed Order pursuant to Civil L.R. 7-12:

WHEREAS, defendants Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, and Lifecore Biomedical, Inc. filed six motions under Federal Rule of Evidence 702 ("*Daubert* motions") on September 14, 2005, pursuant to the Court's scheduling order;

WHEREAS, defendant Vital Pharma, Inc. joined in the six *Daubert* motions filed by defendants Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, and Lifecore Biomedical, Inc. and filed three *Daubert* motions of its own pursuant to the Court's scheduling order;

WHEREAS, Civil L.R. 7-3 and 7-4 limit opposition briefs to 25 pages; and

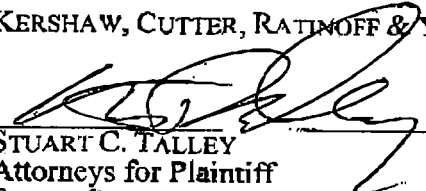
WHEREAS, plaintiff desires to file a single omnibus opposition brief on October 3, 2005, not to exceed 100 pages of text;

The parties agree that plaintiff may file a single omnibus Opposition brief, not to exceed 100 pages of text. The foregoing shall not alter or modify the page limits for defendants' reply briefs, which shall remain pursuant to Civil L.R. 7-3 and 7-4 that each of defendants' *Daubert* motion may be supported with a reply brief, with each such brief not to exceed 15 pages in length.

IT IS SO STIPULATED:

Dated: September 30, 2005

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Dated: 10/7/2005


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